UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

DWAIN MITCHELL,

Plaintiff,

-against-

NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION and DAISY FONTANEZ, former Principal of MS 415 Wadleigh Secondary School for Visual and Performing Arts,

Defendants.

ORDER

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PAUL G. GARDEPHE, U.S.D.J.:

Based on today's pretrial conference, this Court has referred this case to Magistrate Judge Cave for a settlement conference. (Dkt. No. 67) The parties will submit a joint letter by May 29, 2025, advising the Court of the outcome of their settlement negotiations. If the parties are not able to reach a settlement, the Court will enter a case management plan. The previous referral to Judge Cave for general pretrial supervision is withdrawn.

In the event that this case does not settle, this Court will conduct a case management conference on **July 25, 2025, at 11:00 a.m.** in Courtroom 705 of the Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse, 40 Foley Square, New York, New York.

Dated: New York, New York April 29, 2025

SO ORDERED.

Paul G. Gardephe

United States District Judge